

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 2015 - SB 1963

March 14, 2022

SUMMARY OF BILL AS AMENDED (015441): Requires a student who begins grade nine in a public or nonpublic high school to attend a public or nonpublic high school for four full school years, unless the student meets certain requirements.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL AS AMENDED:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions for the bill as amended:

- Tennessee Code Annotated § 49-6-3005 establishes exceptions to compulsory attendance in public and nonpublic schools for children between six and seventeen years old.
- Expanding the criteria by which a student is not required to complete four full years of high school will not significantly impact school operations. Schools will be able to comply with the proposed legislation within existing resources and during the normal course of business. Any local fiscal impact is estimated to be not significant.
- No impact to the Basic Education Program.
- No impact to state government.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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